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In re Application of Tadamasa Yamanaka, et al. Application No. 10/017,991 Filed: December 14, 2001

For: PARTS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MOBILE UNIT

ACCEPTANCE OF PAPERS

This is a decision responsive to the multiple duplicate transmissions filed February 22, 2006 requesting acceptance of an Amendment/Response and Extension of Time as originally filed on February 17, 2006. No fee is required.

## The request is **DISMISSED AS MOOT**.

Applicant asserts that an Amendment/Response and Extension of Time for one month were timely filed via facsimile on February 17, 2006. However, applicant also asserts that a telefax acknowledging receipt by the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) was not received. Accordingly, on February 22, 2006, duplicate copies of the original Amendment/Response and Extension of Time were filed.

A review of the file finds that the original transmission dated February 17, 2006 was received in entirety and has now been scanned into the file. It appears that under the "Listing of Claims" section of the response/amendment, page 3 did not print out properly at first attempt. However, it appears a second transmission attempt (the same day) did successfully print out a complete copy of page 3. Therefore, a complete copy of the response was in fact timely received by the PTO on February 17, 2006 and has been scanned into the file record.

Applicant's failure to receive a telefax acknowledging receipt of the complete response appears to have been a result of the apparent problem with transmission of page 3. The Office apologizes for any inconvenience to applicant.

The application file is being forwarded to the Examiner for appropriate action in due course.

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